

Division of Community Nutrition

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Programs Managed by DCN

- ❑ Special Supplemental Nutrition Program
- ❑ Child and Adult Care Food Program
- ❑ Summer Food Service Program



**Child & Adult Care
Food Program**
Virginia Department of Health



**Summer Food
Service Program**
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WIC IS . . .



Women



Infants



Children

Special Supplemental Nutrition Program

History

- ❑ Child Nutrition Act of 1966
- ❑ Chapter 7 Part 246 CFR
- ❑ Local Health Districts

Eligibility

□ Applicants must meet eligibility requirements in four areas:

- Categorical
- Residential
- Income
- Nutrition risk

Eligibility

☐ Categorical

- Women

- Pregnant
- Postpartum
- Breastfeeding



- Infants

- Children up to their fifth birthday



Eligibility

☐ Residential



☐ Income

- Adjunctive income eligible



Eligibility

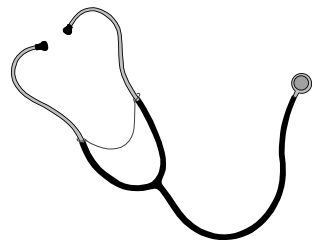
Income Eligibility Chart (effective April 28, 2014)

Maximum Gross Income			
Size of Household	Annual	Monthly	Weekly
1	\$21,590	\$1,800	\$416
2	\$29,101	\$2,426	\$560
3	\$36, 612	\$3,051	\$705
4	\$44,123	\$3,677	\$849
5	\$51,634	\$4,303	\$993
6	\$59,145	\$4,929	\$1,138

Eligibility

☐ Nutrition Risk

- Two major types
 - Medically-based
 - Dietary

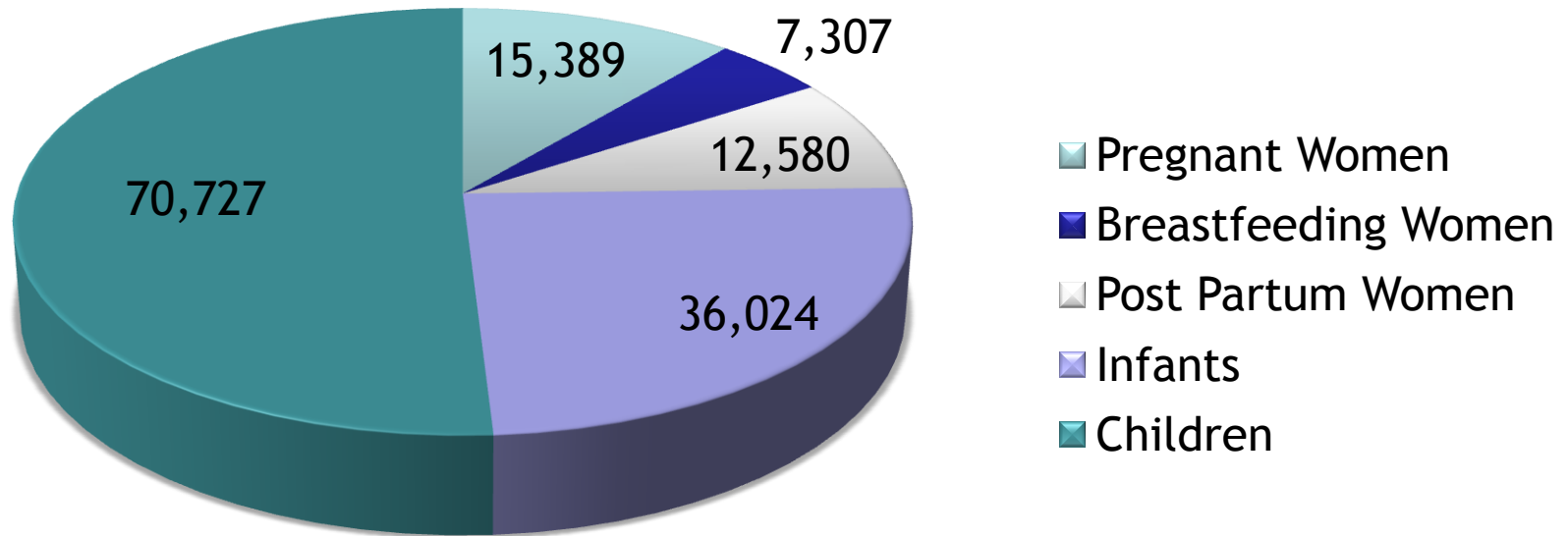


Benefits

- ☐ Nutrition education
- ☐ Supplemental foods
- ☐ Breastfeeding Support and Supplies
- ☐ Screening and referrals to other health, welfare, and social services

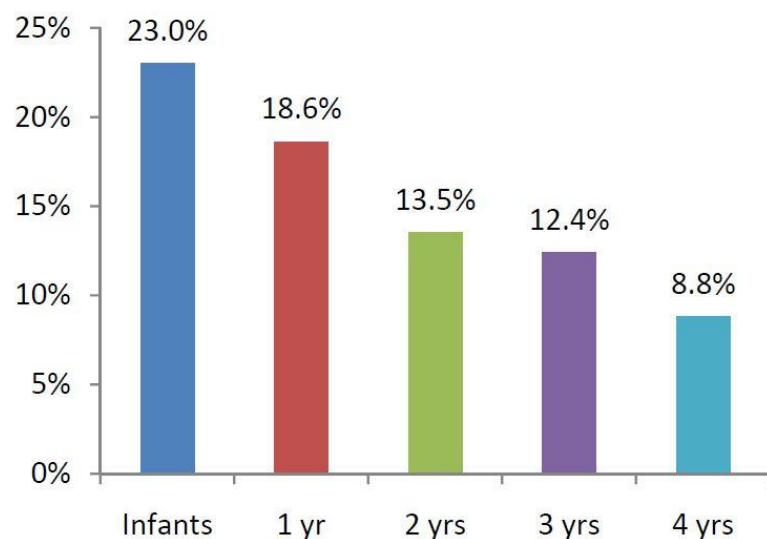


Virginia WIC Participants

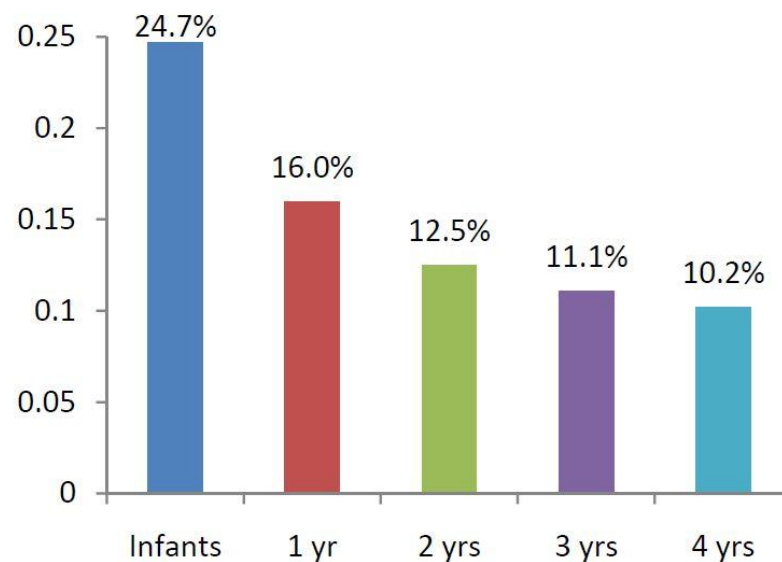


WIC Participant & Program Characteristics 2012

National Percent of Infant & Children Participants by Age

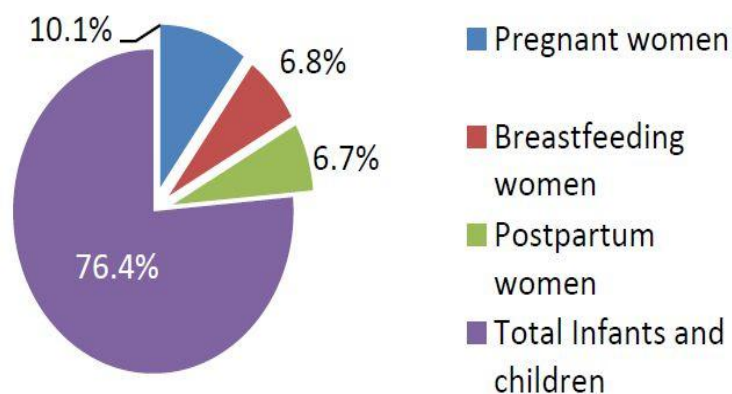


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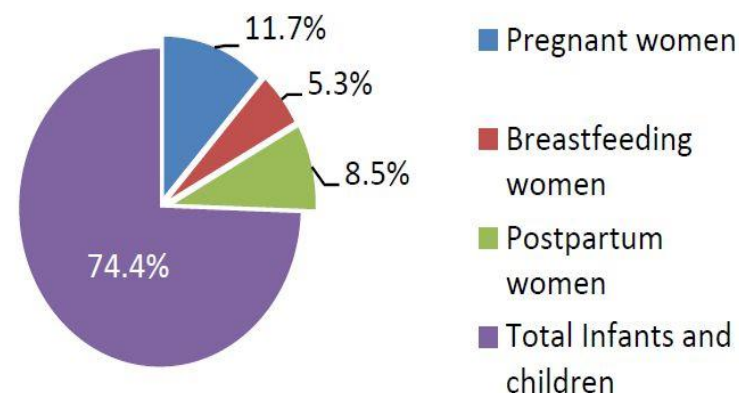


WIC Participant & Program Characteristics 2012

National Percent of WIC Participants by Category

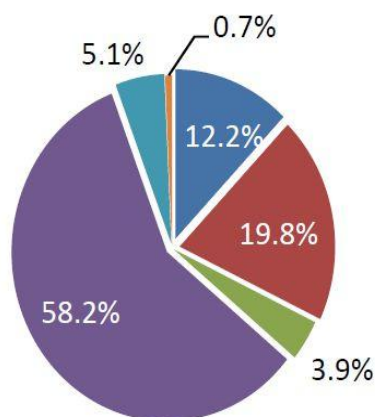


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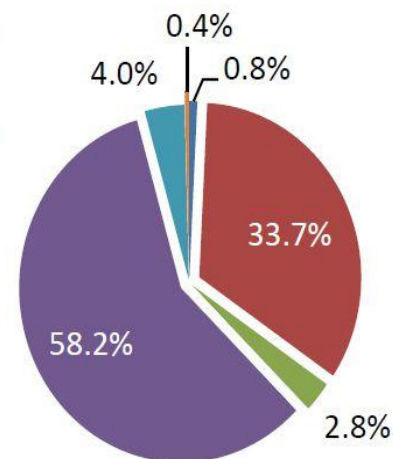


WIC Participant & Program Characteristics 2012

National Race of WIC Participants

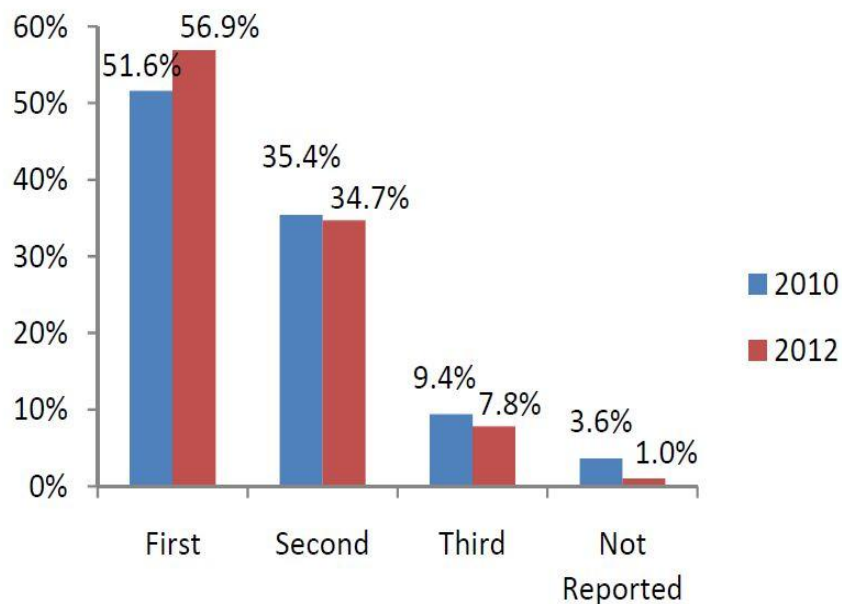


Virginia Race of WIC Participants

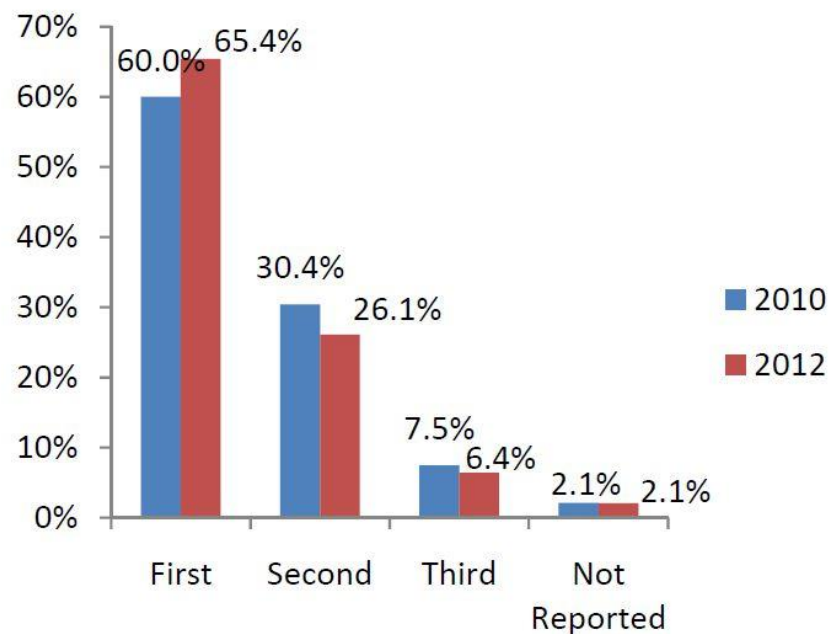


WIC Participant & Program Characteristics 2012

National Trimester of WIC Enrollment



Virginia Trimester of WIC Enrollment



Crossroads

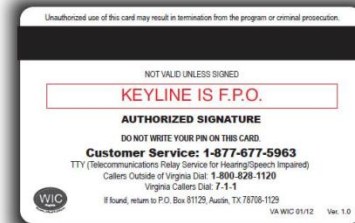
❑ Management Information System

❑ WIC-net

❑ Computer Sciences Corporation

❑ January 2014 - May 2014

❑ e-WIC Card



Challenges

☐ Declining Participation

☐ Federal Funding

☐ Integrity

Special Nutrition Programs: Child and Adult Care Food Program (CACFP) and Summer Food Service Program (SFSP)

In 2009, the United States Department of Agriculture (USDA) and the Virginia Department of Health (VDH) signed a state-federal agreement to transfer the management of the Child and Adult Care Food Program (CACFP) and the Summer Food Service Program (SFSP) from USDA to VDH effective October 1, 2010.

The Child and Adult Care Food Program provides nutritious meals and snacks in **daycare centers for children and adults** and has been doing so for forty years. CACFP also provides meals and snacks to **emergency shelters**. Independent centers and sponsoring organizations receive cash reimbursement for serving meals and snacks to participants **whose incomes are below 185% of the poverty level**. This **reduces operating costs** for daycare programs in low income communities and makes it more affordable to the public.

The Summer Food Service Program encompasses similar benefits. This program is generally administered **from the close of the school year through late August**. Nutritious meals are provided to participants in these programs that are sponsored by public schools, parks and recreation centers, etc. **Feeding sites qualify by location – school has at least 50% eligible for free or reduced meals.**

These two programs fit well into the overall mission and goals of the Division of Community Nutrition as many of the children in day care in the Commonwealth are WIC participants, or qualify to be enrolled, and a common nutrition education and physical activity message would strengthen the positive impact on these children.

Number of Summer Food Program Sites School Year 2013-2014

Number of sites by school district

0 - 8 (95)

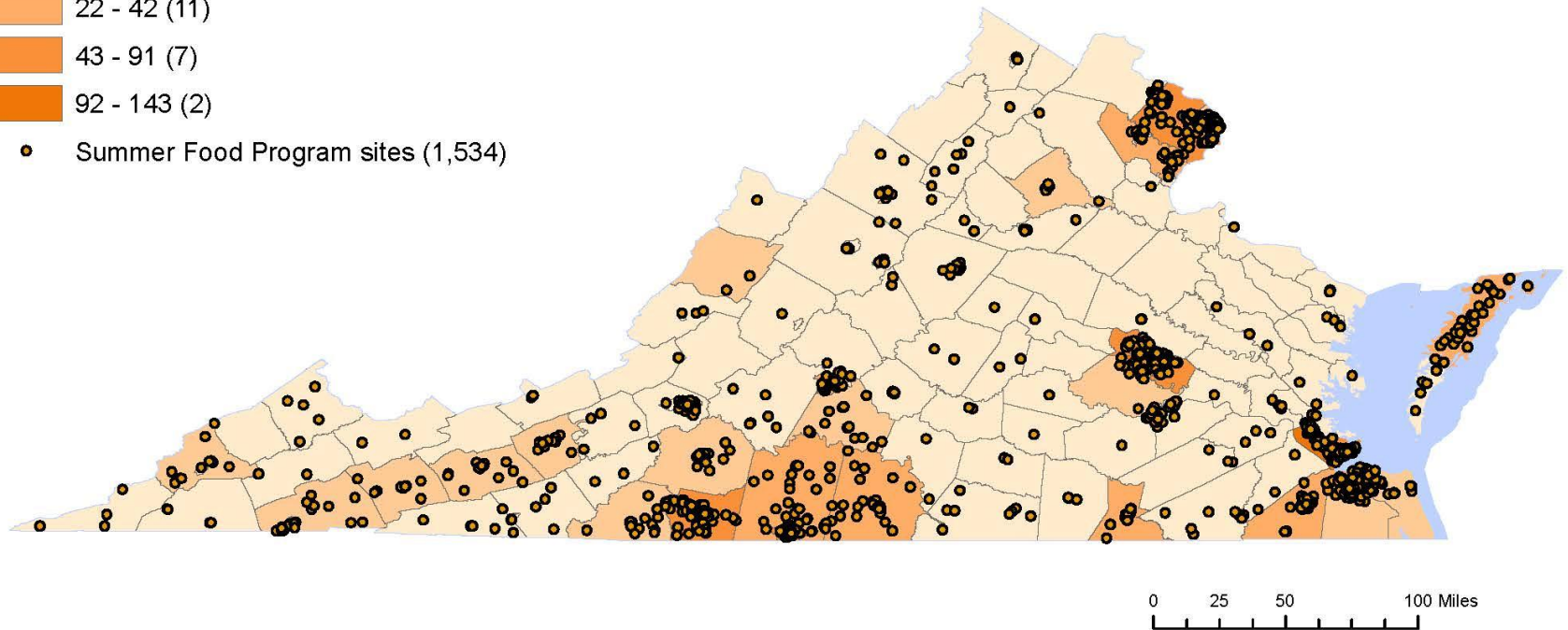
9 - 21 (19)

22 - 42 (11)

43 - 91 (7)

92 - 143 (2)

• Summer Food Program sites (1,534)



Free and Reduced Price Eligibility Report School Year 2013-2014

% of school children free or reduced price eligible,
by school district

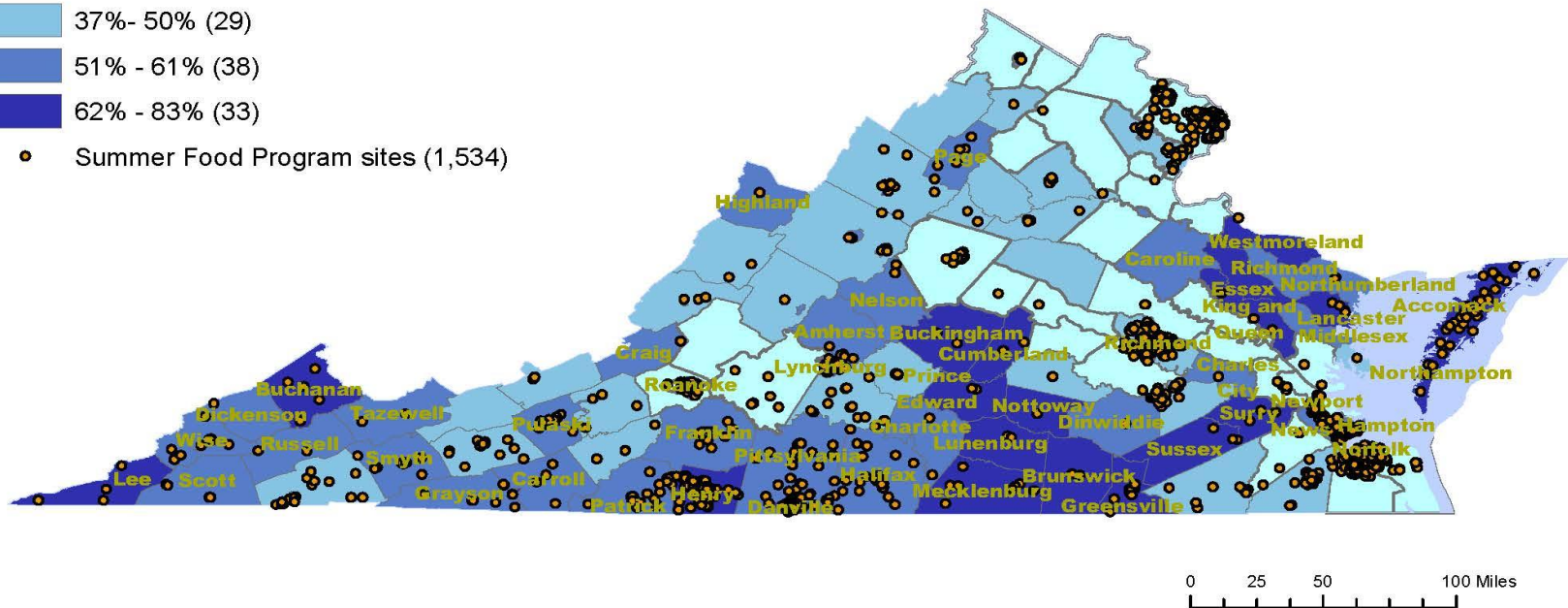
10% - 36% (34)

37%- 50% (29)

51% - 61% (38)

62% - 83% (33)

• Summer Food Program sites (1,534)



Virginia Department of Health, Office of Information Management, 2013

Special Nutrition Programs

Program	Sponsoring Organizations	Sites	Enrollment	Total Meals	Program Funding
CACFP	369	3,647	56,204	32,040,223	\$33,167,168
SFSP	131	1,539	55,519	3,485,921	\$8,994,275
Total	506	5,526	109,205	35,402,405	\$42,939,940



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